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baggage disinfected, none. June 29, steamship *Harold*; crew, 19; passengers from this port, none; passengers in transit none; pieces of baggage disinfected, none. June 30, steamship *Venus*; crew, 28; passengers from this port, none; passengers in transit, none; pieces of baggage disinfected, none.

Respectfully,

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CUBA.

Reports from Cienfuegos, Casilda, and Santa Cruz del Sur.

CIENFUEGOS, CUBA, July 1, 1901.

SIR: Through the chief quarantine officer for the island of Cuba, I have the honor to transmit the following report for the district under my command for the week ended June 29, 1901:

Twenty-five deaths have occurred in this city; of these, 4 occurred in the civil hospital. No contagious diseases reported. The following show causes of death: Hemorrhage, cerebral, 2; entero-colitis, 2; insufficiency, mitral, 2; gastro-enteritis, 2; insufficiency, aortic, 2; diabetes, insipidus, 1; meningitis, cerebral, 1; burns, 1; paludism, 1; pernicious fever, 1; aphthæ, 1; anaemia, congenital, 1; enteritis, membranous, 1; enteritis, chronic, 1; meningitis, 1; tuberculosis, 1; embolism, 1; angina pectoris, 1; old age, 1; uræmia, 1; death rate per 1,000 inhabitants, 32.58.

Seven vessels were inspected and passed, granted pratique; 15 bills of health were issued vessels leaving Cienfuegos; 69 health certificates were issued passengers; 35 pieces baggage leaving Cienfuegos were inspected and passed; 1 vessel was disinfected—steamship *Ramon de Larrinaga*—previous to departure for New Orleans, and no alien steerage passengers were inspected and allowed to land.

Casilda.—Acting Asst. Surg. Alejandro Cantero reports 10 deaths during past two weeks. No contagious diseases reported; 15 vessels inspected and passed, granted pratique.

Santa Cruz del Sur.—Acting Asst. Surg. Juan R. Xiques reports 1 death at that port during the week; no contagious diseases; 5 vessels inspected and passed, granted pratique, and 1 bill of health issued to a foreign-bound vessel.

Respectfully,

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The SURGEON-GENERAL,
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Report from Gibara.

GIBARA, CUBA, June 22, 1901.

SIR: Through the chief quarantine officer for the island of Cuba, I have the honor to inclose herewith the quarantine and abstract of bills of health reports for the week ended June 22, 1901. Also report of alien steerage passengers for the same time. Two deaths occurred in the city during the week, 1 from tuberculosis and 1 from nephritis. The sanitary condition of the town is good.

Respectfully,

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